

TEXAS TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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Transportation Code, §201.114, requires the Texas Transportation Commission (commission) to appoint members to the Border Trade Advisory Committee (committee) to assist the commission in defining and developing a strategy and making recommendations for addressing the highest priority border trade transportation challenges.

Transportation Code, §201.114, also provides that the committee must include, to the extent practicable: (1) the presiding officers, or persons designated by the presiding officers, of the policy boards of metropolitan planning organizations wholly or partly in the Texas Department of Transportation's Pharr, Laredo, Odessa, or El Paso transportation districts; (2) the person serving, or a person designated by the person serving, in the capacity of executive director of each entity governing a port of entry in this state; (3) a representative each from at least two institutes or centers operated by a university in this state that conduct continuing research on transportation or trade issues; and (4) the port director of the Port of Brownsville or the port director's designee.

Title 43, Texas Administrative Code, §1.84(d), provides that committee members serve staggered three-year terms expiring on August 31 of each year, except that the commission may establish terms of less than three years for some members in order to stagger terms.

Ten (10) individuals are being re-appointed to the committee with terms to expire on August 31, 2024, two (2) individuals are new appointments to the committee with terms to expire on August 31, 2022, and three (3) individuals are new appointments to the committee with terms to expire on August 31, 2024.

The commission has determined that the individuals or positions listed below fulfill the statutory requirements to serve as members of the committee and shall serve for the term specified, subject to regular meeting attendance, active participation, and ongoing contributions to the committee's efforts.

Re-appointments with Terms Expiring on August 31, 2024:

Lisa Loftus Otway, Center for Transportation Research, University of Texas

Rafael Aldrete, Texas Transportation System, Texas A&M University

Gerry Schwebel, International Bank of Commerce

Juan Antonio Flores, Port of San Antonio

Eduardo Calvo, El Paso Metropolitan Planning Organization

Cameron Walker, Permian Basin Metropolitan Planning Organization

Jesus Reyna, Donna International Bridge

John Esparza, Texas Trucking Association

Megan Shea, BNSF Railway

Stan Meador, Texas-Pacifico Transportation Ltd.

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New Appointments with Terms Expiring on August 31, 2022:

Raquel Espinoza, Union Pacific Railroad

Daniel Avila, International Boundary and Water Commission

New Appointments with Terms Expiring on August 31, 2024:

Warren Erdman, Kansas City Southern Railroad

Iliana Holguin, Guadalupe-Tornillo Port of Entry

Rolando Salinas, City of Eagle Pass

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the commission that the individuals or positions named above are appointed to the Border Trade Advisory Committee for the terms specified.

Submitted and reviewed by:

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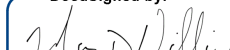


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Recommended by:

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